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1. In the internment camp at Sachsenhausen near Oranienburg there are 35,000 internees, consisting of German officers and political detainees. Former officers arriving in the Russian Zone, after having been liberated by the Western Powers, are among those interned.
2. When a new transport of prisoners arrives they are divided into four groups. Groups one and two are completely healthy prisoners capable of work; these are immediately transported to Russia. Groups three and four consist of weak or sick prisoners, who are put to work in the camp.
3. The employees at the camp are Germans, with the exception of the sentries, who are Russian. A Soviet captain is the chief medical officer of the camp. The treatment and feeding of the prisoners is satisfactory.
4. Among those detained at the camp was Professor Schmal, former head of the Geodetical Institute in Potsdam. He died at the camp, and his family have so far not been informed.

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